

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
SOUTHWESTERN DIVISION**

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| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, |) | |
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| Plaintiff, |) | |
| |) | |
| v. |) | No. 21-05032-06-CR-SW-MDH |
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| CARLA JO WARD, |) | |
| |) | |
| Defendant. |) | |

ORDER

The United States has filed a Notice of Intent Not to Seek the Death Penalty. It is therefore **ORDERED** that the appointment of the **Cynthia L. Short**, CLS Mitigation, as second counsel, be, and it is hereby rescinded effective August 18, 2022. It is further

ORDERED that the orders appointing mitigation specialist **Mary K Poirier**, private investigator **Dan Grothaus**, forensic psychologist **Antoinette R. McGarrahan, Ph. D.**, and social geographer **Julie Urbanik, Ph.D.**, be, and they are hereby, rescinded effective August 18, 2022. It is further

ORDERED that interim payments be, and they are hereby, rescinded, and that the order setting the hourly rate to the capital rate be, and is hereby, rescinded effective August 18, 2022.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ David P. Rush
DAVID P. RUSH
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

DATE: August 18, 2022